to get out the fire apparatus at the

Schaick says that he immediately rang

the bells for getting out the apparatus.

tempt was made to lower boats or life

According to several statements no at-

jumped with them into the water.

MEN FOUGHT TO ESCAPE.

pled Under Foot.

Little children holding each other

fought with women to escape, result-

During her flame-enveloped run to

vacht, while row boats put out from

boats to rescue those who had jumped

North Brother island, where the ves-

but some scores of persons died while

they were being attended to. Capt.

Van Schaick and his two pilots, Ed-

ward Van Wart and E. N. Weaver,

was received from President Roose-

"THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

CHAIRMAN PAYNE ILL.

His Condition, However, Is Not Such

as to Cause Alarm.

Chicago, June 16.-Postmaster Gen-

eral Henry C. Payne, chairman of the

has been here several days taking ac-

a physician. One was called and later

Church, Lynched.

Lagrange, Ga., June 16.-A Negro by

the name of Jonah Woods, who lived

about 25 miles from Lagrange, was

Negro. It is said he discovered a

to the grand jury. Afterwards the

Will Sue the Federal Government.

Must Stay at Home.

New York, June 16.-Mayor McClel-

the national committee meetings.

velt by Pastor Haas:

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Most of the Victims Were Women and Children Who Were on a Sunday School Excursion.

Approximately 500 Bodies Have Been one of frightful panic, with women Recovered and Are Now Being Tagged at the Morgue of the Bellevue Hospital.

New York, June 16.—One of the hurricane deck which soon burned most appalling disasters in the history away and fell, and it is believed that of New York, tragic in its immensity, most of those on this deck were dramatic in its episodes and deeply burned. pathetic in the tender age of most of . The after rail gave way and the pasits victims, took place Wednesday in sengers who had crowded against it the East river at the entrance to Long were pushed into the river. Mothers Island sound, within a short distance and children became separated and of the New York shore and within frantically sought each other, while in sight of thousands of persons, the ma- several cases fathers and mothers, jority of whom were powerless to min- gathering their children together, imize the extent of the catastrophe.

By the burning to the water's edge of the General Slocum, a three-decked excursion steamer, the largest in these waters, more than 600 persons, the Scores of Little Children Were Trammajority of whom were women and children, were burned to death or drowned by jumping overboard or by being thrown into the whirlpools by by the hand jumped together and were the lurching of the vessel and the afterwards found clasped in each othfrantic rush of the panic-stricken pas- er's arms. It is alleged that men

recovered and are now being tagged scores of children. at the morgues of Bellevue hospital and Harlem. Divers were still busy North Brother island, the General Sloat a late hour taking bodies from the cum's whistles kept blowing for ashold of the vessel, which they say is sistance, but before the whistles began beings, while the bodies of scores who which had seen the outbreak of fire, have not been recovered.

It is the season of Sunday-school ex- the shore. The number of these craft known." cursions in New York bay and the constantly grew, and not the least dra-Long Island sound, the latter one of matic incidents of the catastrophe the most picturesque bodies of water were the efforts of the people on these in the country.

Great preparations had been made overboard from the burning vessel. for the 17th annual excursion of the Sunday-school of St. Mark's German Luthern church, the congregation of as they were borne by the current. which is drawn from the dense popu- There were many thrilling rescues by lation of the German east and west this means. sides and the General Slocum had been chartered to carry the excursionists to Locust Grove, one of the many ver ward. The patients who witnessed resorts on Long Island sound.

NUMBER OF PERSONS ON BOARD. those who had been washed ashore, It Is Variously Estimated at Between 1,500 and 2,500.

It is variously estimated that there have been arrested. were between 1,500 and 2,500 persons on board the General Slocum when she left the pier at Third street, East river, though the Knickerbocker Steamship Co. which owns the Slocum, officially states that the number of passengers was 873, that being only onethird of the vessel's capacity. It is thought, however, that there were several hundred children in arms, for whom fares are not usually charged

on these trips, were on board. The scene on the decks of the steamer as she proceeded up the East river was one of merry-making, customary on such occasions. The mass of flags fluttered in the June breezes, the republican national committee, who bands were playing and the children were singing dancing and waving tive part in the preliminary work of handkerchiefs in answer to the salu- the coming republican national contations of those on shore or from pass- vention, became ill Wednesday and ing steamers. At the extreme end of was unable to attend a meeting of the Randall's island, off 135th street, there national committee at which he was is a stretch of water known as the expected to preside. While Mr. Sunken Meadows. At this point just Payne's condition was not such as to as crowds were watching the gaily dec- cause alarm, it was thought advisable orated steamer from the shore, the nevertheless to obtain the services of General Slocum took fire.

The fire is said to have broken out in the day Mr. Payne, though in a in a lunch room on the forward deck quite weakened condition, was able to through the overturning of a pot of be about. It will probably be several grease. The wind was high and all ef- days, however, before he will attend forts to subdue the fire were futile.

At 134th street there are several lumber yards and oil tanks, and as BY MEMBERS OF HIS OWN RACE. Capt. William Van Schaick, in command of the General Slocum, started Jonah Woods, Colored Deacon of a to turn his vessel towards the shore. there he was warned that it would set fire to the lumber and oil, and so he changed his course for North Brothers island, one of Twin islands near the entrance to the sound, some half lynched by other Negroes. Woods was mile away, where the boat partially burned, was beached. She sank near this place at 12:25 o'clock Wednesday number of Negroes playing craps and afternoon, 2 hours and 25 minutes after the fire was first discovered.

PASSENGERS PANIC-STRICKEN.

Hundreds of Them Jumped Overboard here. and Were Drowned.

In the meantime the passengers had swiftly running waters. It is alleged the federal government.

English Papers on the Disaster. London, June 16.—The morning newspapers publish long descriptive lan has given the opinion that the al- sources it is learned that the Japanaccounts of the terrible disaster at dermen who have been contemplating ese had 60,000 men on the Liao Tung New York to the excursion steamer a trip to the democratic national con-General Slocum and in their editorial vention in St. Louis must stay at home that it is their intention to use 100,- pared and signed by Gov. Pennypackarticles express a keen sense of synt- and attend to their regular aldermanic 000 men in the attack on Port er and sent to Mr. Knox at Washingpathy with the American people.

The Steamship Rate War.

The Outrage in Armenia. London, June 16.—The Chronicle London, June 16 .- A dispatch from says it understands there is likelihood Constantinople says the consular re- ish captured a Lama who had just arof the government offering its friendly ports confirm the destruction of many offices to terminate the steamship Armenian villages in the Sassum discompanies rate war by the arbitration trict. The number of killed is esti every precaution for flight to China in formed Wednesday afternoon on the Div. Pass. Agent, Lexington Ky, i of the president of the board of trade. mated to exceed 3,000 persons.

duties.

## that the life preservers were too securely fastened to their holdings to be available, and stories are told of frantic efforts made by strong men to cut

them loose, but even if they could have been torn down they were too high The Russian Position South of up for the children to reach. It is al-Vafangow Attacked. so alleged that no attempt was made

first cry of "fire," though Capt. Van Gen. Zerngross Was Wounded and Col. Khavantownoff and Adjt. Sub-Lieut. Dragoeloff Nodochinsky Were Killed.

St. Petersburg, June 15.-Emperor The race to North Brother's island Nicholas has received the following was horribly dramatic. It was made telegram from Lieut. Gen. Baron Stalkwhile the flames, which had been fanberg, bearing Tuesday's date: ned into a fury by the strong head

"A battle began at noon around the wind, were consuming hundreds of per-Russian position four and a half miles sons, old and young. The scene was south of the station of Wahanhoon (Vafangow?), the enemy making reand children jumping overboard and being lashed by the channel whirlpools peated attempts to dislodge our left flank. The attack was repelled and we against the vessel's sides. Women and children were crowded together on the retained our position.

"The first regiment occupying the left flank of our position sustained severe losses. Its commander, Col Khavantounoff, and Adjt. Sub-Lieut. Dragoaloff Nodochinsky were killed. Gen. Zerngross was wounded, a shrapnel bullet shattering the right side of his jaw, but he remained on the field."

The movement of 3,000 Japanese north of Kuan Dian Sian only adds to the blindness of the situation in the northeastern field of operations. It is unquestionable that the Cossacks have been worrying the Japanese north of Feng Wang Cheng, and the movement may be merely an effort to clear the country. At the same time this movement holds the possibility of a demonstration against Mukden, one of the main roads leading directly east from Mukden toward the region to which the Japanese are now advancing.

The concensus of opinion, however, is that the advance is more in the na-Approximately 500 bodies have been ing in the trampling under foot of ture of a demonstration than a preliminary to an actual attack.

A special dispatch from Liao Yang, dated June 14, says:

Yesterday (Monday) at the battle of Vafangow, Japanese troops numberchoked with the remains of human to blow several tugs, the captains of ing 20,000 tried to pass our flank but were discovered. We changed our poleaped or were thrown into the river, started after the vessel, joined by a sition, flanking the Japanese, and opened a heavy fire. The result is un- a stirring speech by Col. Bennett H.

The date of this dispatch does not agree with the Associated Press dispatch from Liao Yang.

Liao Yang, June 16.—The battle of Vafangow lasted till 8 o'clock Tues-Men crowded to the rails of the tugs day evening. The Japanese, in treand caught up the drowning persons mendous forces, attacked the Russian position, but were repulsed, with terrible loss. It is reported that three squadrons of Japanese dragons were absolutely wiped out, and that 60 sel was beached, contains a scarlet femen were captured. The Russian losses were 311 men. Col. Khvasteroff, the disaster were ordered indoors and commanding the First Rifle regiment, the doctors hastened to the rescue of was killed.

According to the latest reports received here the Russian troops were attacking the Japanese at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning, but no particulars are available.

London, June 16.—A dispatch to the The following telegraphic message Daily Express from Tokio, dated June 15, says: News has been received there, but has not yet been officially "Accept my profound sympathy for published, of a great Japanese victory yourself, your church and your connear Fuchou, on the North railway, 70 miles north of Port Arthur. The Russians, it is added, were overwhelmed, guns on the field, and retreated in dis-

> The Daily Chronicle's correspondent at Tokio cables the same news, adding that Russians, to the number of 7,000 men, are now in full flight toward Tahi Chaiso and Kai Chow.

> Tokio, June 16 .- A flotilla of torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroy. ers, under command of Capt. Tsuchiya, and co-operating with the army, made a reconnaissence in force near Siau Ping island and bombarded the Russian outposts on the coast to the west of the island. (Hiu Ping island is 12 miles to the west of Port Arthur.) At noon the Russian cruiser Novil; convoying ten torpedo boat destroyers, steamed out from Port Arthur. 'The Russian shore batteries protected tiese vessels with a heavy cannonade. The Japanese flotilla retreated slowly, firing as it went for the purpose of decoying the enemy to sea. At 3 o'clock in the tfternoon the Russian ships returned to the entrance of Port Arthur. The fact that the Novik came out of Port Arthur makes it certain the Russians have succeeded in blasting a channel through the cementladen merchantmen sunk by the Japanese in the entrance to the harbor.

This freedom of egress comes too late to permit of any effect upon the a deacon in his church and a pious old operations of the Japanese army, for men, guns and stores have practically threatened that he would report them all been landed, and Adm. Togo is capable of keeping the remnants of church was burned down and two days the Russian fleet imprisoned in Port later while plowing in the fields he Arthur.

Last Monday night Japanese vidette was seized and hanged to a tree near boats, protected by torpedo boats and torpedo boat destroyers, succeeded in reaching the entrance to Port Arthur Manila, June 16.—The Spanish Filiand planted a series of mines. The become panic-stricken and those who pino bank claims that the issuance of darkness of midnight favored the opwere not caught up by the flames the new currency or what is generally erations. The Japanese vessels were rushed to the rear of the vessel and known here as the "conant notes," is not observed, and they returned to the of \$300 imposed upon him by Judge hundreds jumped overboard into the illegal, and it will bring suit against rest of the squadron without having Russell, of the district court, for havsustained any damage.

> Number of Japs on the Peninsula. Che Foo, June 16.-From reliable peninsula ten days ago. It is believed late M. S. Quay was Wednesday pre-Arthur.

Will Flee to China.

Gyantse, Thibet, June 16.-The Brit-

THE ANNUAL REUNION.

The United Confederate Veterans Hold Sessions in Nashville, Tenn.

Nashville, Tenn., June 14.-Nashville is crowded with visitors, veterans and delegates to the 14th annual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans, which opened officially Tuesday. All day long and far into the night trains were arriving at frequent intervals from all parts of the south bringing the old warriors, their friends, families and sponsors. There are delegations present from Missouri and as far north as Montana.

The Battle Abbey committee met Monday night at the Baptist publication house. The most important matter taken up for consideration was the report of the committee on the Abbey. This will be submitted to the convention for its action. The report of the committee shows that the treasurer has in hand nearly \$106,000 in cash. In addition thereto are subscriptions collectible totalling \$100,000, making the total money available for the erection of the Abbey \$206,000. The committee is trying to raise \$300,000, but the work can begin any time now with the money in hand. The exact date for the inauguration of the work, however has not been decided.

The convention was called to order at noon Tuesday in the tabernacle by Gen. G. W. Gordon, of Memphis, as department commander, and after several welcoming speeches the acting commander-in-chief, Lieut. Gen. Stephen D. Lee, delivered his address.

The committee states that more funds will be raised as soon as possible to establish a complete library of American and especially southern history, which will become a part of the

Nashville, Tenn., June 16.-A sweetvoiced young woman of Norfolk, Va., Miss Mary K. Ewell, maid of honor for the south, by her singing of "My Old Kentucky Home" Wednesday won for Louisville the reunion next year of the United Confederate Veterans. It was after the old veterans had chosen Lieut. Gen. Stephen D. Lee as their commander-in-chief and had listened to Young, of Kentucky, extolling the beauties, capabilities and hospitality of his home city, that Miss Ewell was escorted to the front of the stage. Her voice thrilled the great crowd that filled the tabernacle and the last note of the song had barely left her lips when the convention went wild with shouts of "Louisville," Louisville." Seconding speeches were unnecessary. The choice of the veterans was unanimous. The date will be determined la-

The veterans, in addition to electing officers, disposed of a vast amount of routine business, but did not complete their work and a final session will be held at 4 o'clock Thursday aft-

The most interesting part of the committee on resolutions' report was the resolution requesting congress to take appropriate action looking to the care and preservation of the graves of the confederate dead now in the various cemeteries in the northern states. The veterans had their annual parade Thursday morning. The start was

made at 10 o'clock. Owing to the increasing infirmities of the old sollost a thousand men, left all their diers, the route was almost cut in two by those having the parade in charge. The most brilliant function of the reunion occurred Wednesday night at the Golf and Country club. It was a reception and ball complimentary to the sponsors and maids of honor by the Sons of Veterans.

Nashville, Tenn. June 16.-At Centennial Park Wednesday the corner stone of a monument to the private soldiers of the confederacy, the tribute of the Nashville veterans to the enlisted men was laid with impres sive ceremonies under the direction of the Masonic fraternity. State Grand Master James L. Sloan presided. The orator of the day was Hon. Henry Wat terson, of Louisville, Ky.

THE DERBY TRIAL SPECIAL.

English Lad Won in the Easiest Imaginable Manner.

Chicago, June 16.-In the easiest imaginable manner English Lad, the American Derby favorite, won the Derby Trial Special at Harlem Wednesday, making the balance of the field look cheap. Lonsdale finished second while Elwood was a close third. The time of 2:082-5 for the mile and a quarter was slow, but English Lad could have covered the distance much faster had he been urged.

Civil Service Regulations Amended. Washington, June 16.—The president has signed an amendment to the civil service regulations which permits the promotion without examination of an employe who has entered the service the second time.

An Editor Goes to Jail. Durango Col., June 16.-Editor Da-

vid F. Day, of the Durango Democrat, has gone to jail rather than pay a fine ing criticised a decision of the court.

Senator Knox's Commission. Harrisburg, Pa., June 16.-The commission of Attorney General Knox as United States senator to succeed the

Operated on Jeffries' Knee.

San Francisco, June 16.-Advices received Wednesday night from Harbin rived in this vicinity from Lhassa. He Springs, where Jim Jeffries is training, declares the Dailai Lama has made announce that an operation was perthe event of Lhassa being threatened. ailing knee of the champion.



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